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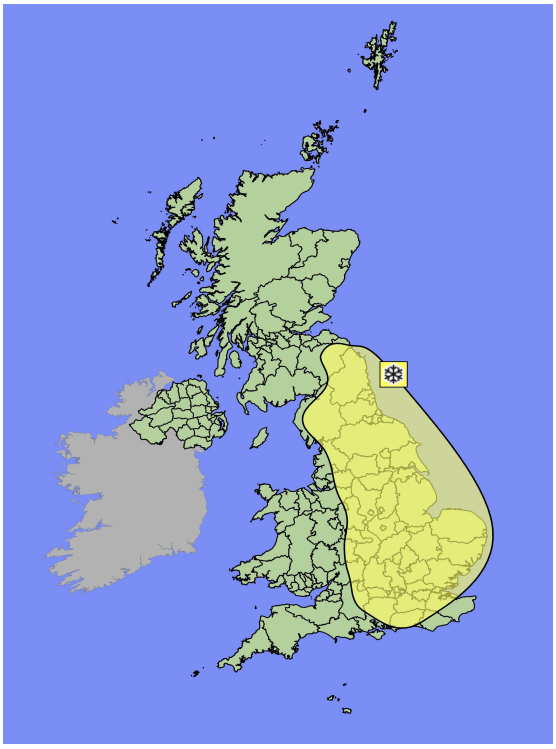

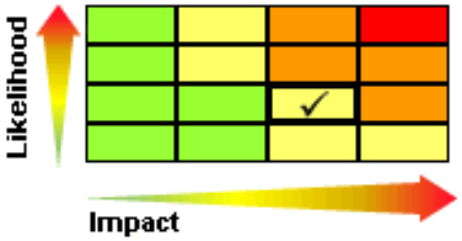

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Frontal systems coming southeast across the UK will encounter air of cold, continental origin, turning rain off the Atlantic into snow. The greatest risk of disruption due to snowfall is expected to be over high ground of northern England and increasingly at low levels in northeast and eastern England into Monday night.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **00:05 on Mon, 14th Jan 2013** until **23:59 on Mon, 14th Jan 2013**

An area of sleet and snow will move eastwards across England during the early part of Monday, probably becoming light and patchy during the morning as it slows down over southeast England. However, another band of rain, sleet and snow is expected to be affecting northern England and southeast Scotland by daybreak, moving southeastwards through the day.

Accumulations of snow from the first band will be variable, but 2 cm is possible in many areas, with locally 5 cm from the Midlands northwards. The second band will be predominantly rain or sleet in the south Midlands and southern England, with snow more likely in northern and eastern England, where a further 2-5 cm of snow is possible in places.

Ice will be additional hazard at first on Monday morning.

With the potential for further snowfall across northeast and eastern England into Monday night, an Amber warning is likely to be issued for those areas.

The public are advised to monitor the forecast and to be aware of the risk of disruption to travel.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 12:43 on Fri, 11th Jan 2013

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